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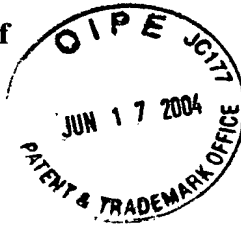
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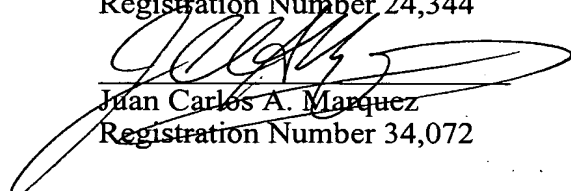
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Also filed is a *Request for a Continued Examination (RCE)*, a *Response to a Final Office Action*, and an *Information Disclosure Statement*.

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